

Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Date: January 11, 2005

Location: Iowa Judicial Branch Building, Room #165

Hours: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Members Present: Dennis Anderson, Larry Murphy, Larry Grund, Tom Becker

Others Present: David Meyers, Derek Grant

Members Present via Conference Call: Doug Strike, Robert Sosalla, Leesa McNeil, Lois Leary, Dennis Henderson, Mary Tabor

Others Present via Conference Call: Zetta Pilch (for Mike Riepe), Lettie Prell (for Gary Maynard), Linn Hall, Gary Niles

Members In Absentia: Robert Dvorsky, Helen Miller, Lance Horbach, Steve Kettering, Mike King

Actions Taken: 1) By a roll call vote of those members eligible to vote, the Committee decided against allocating \$25,000 of National Criminal History Improvement Program funds to the Criminal Justice Council for Woodbury County. These funds would have been used to implement an “*Arrest, Prosecution, Sentencing, and Diversion Pilot Project for Research and Analysis of Woodbury County, Iowa and the 3rd Judicial District’s Adult and Juvenile Criminal Cases*”. The record of the vote is as follows: **YES** – Dennis Anderson, Leesa McNeil, Dennis Henderson, Mary Tabor. **NO** - Doug Strike, Lois Leary, Larry Murphy, Tom Becker, Larry Grund. **ABSTAINING** – Robert Sosalla.

Meeting Highlights:

- Larry Murphy, Chairman of the CJIS RFP Review Committee, gave a report on the status of the CJIS Request for Proposal (RFP). This RFP is for the development of a statewide criminal justice integration plan for Iowa. The RFP was posted on December 10, 2004. Twenty vendors submitted letters of intent to submit proposals. Proposals are due by January 28, 2005.
- Leesa McNeil, District Court Administrator, 3rd Judicial District, presented a request for \$25,000 in funding from National Criminal History Improvement Program Grant funds on behalf of the Criminal Justice Council for Woodbury County. The request was to implement an “*Arrest, Prosecution, Sentencing, and Diversion Pilot Project for Research and Analysis of Woodbury County, Iowa and the 3rd Judicial District’s Adult and Juvenile Criminal Cases*”. Leesa was joined by Linn Hall, Department of Correctional Services and Gary Niles, Chief Juvenile Court Officer. There was a lengthy question and answer period following the

presentation, which culminated in a vote by the Committee. The Committee voted not to allocate resources to the project. (See “Actions Taken” above).

- David Meyers, Iowa’s CJIS Coordinator, gave an informational update on a grant application that was submitted to the National Governor’s Association on behalf of the State of Iowa. The grant application is for \$50,000 and would be used in conjunction with the County Attorney Case Management Project to utilize XML Version 3.0 to share information between the County Attorneys, the Courts, the Department of Corrections, and the Board of Parole. The decision on funding the application will be made by the NGA by January 31, 2005.

Next meeting:

Thursday, February 24, 2005
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Large Conference Room (#165)
Iowa Judicial Branch Building
1111 East Court Avenue
Des Moines, Iowa 50319